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SUBJECT:

Support for Intelligence Participation

in the East-West Exchange Program

REFERENCE:

Your Memorandum to Director, Office

of Research and Reports dated 4 April 1967, same subject

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For future ORR liaison support to your East-West Exchange Staff, previously provided by CGS, please contact of my Staff (Room 4F-26, Headquarters Building, extension 5021).

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WILLIAM N. MORELL, JR. Director Research and Reports

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1. DCID 2/6 assigns to CIA, as a service of common concern, the coordination of intelligence interests related to East-West exchanges. In cooperation with other interested agencies, CIA advises the Soviet and Eastern European Exchanges Staff (SES) of the Department of State on all intelligence aspects related to exchanges. The focal point for this activity in CIA is the East-West Exchange Staff Exchange Staff acts as the secretariat for the Interagency Intelligence Advisory Group on Exchanges (IIAGE) and must request opinions from substantive offices of CIA regarding activities involving the US-Soviet Bloc exchange programs. Briefly, the principal support consists of serving, at the most, a total of some 70-80 requests per month (for both ORR and OSI) originating with SES/State for intelligence opinions as to the desirability of permitting Soviet Bloc nationals to carry out exchange programs in the US. It also involves participation in other intelligence activity related to US exchanges with the Soviet Bloc.

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2. Collection Guidance Staff (CGS) has informed us that, because of personnel cuts, it can no longer provide the liaison support to the Exchange Staff necessary to carry out the intelligence activities outlined above. This support was originally carried out by representatives of ORR and OSI and was subsequently transferred to CGS. When ORR was last handling this directly, served as the liaison officer and was very effective.

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has agreed to our directing this memorandum to you requesting your cooperation in designating a point of contact in this matter. We would appreciate your furnishing us the name of your designee or, if you have any questions, the name

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of your representative for such discussions. A similar memorandum is being sent to the Director of the Office of Scientific Intelligence.

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